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Please find below a communication from the EXAMINER in charge of this application.

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The following claim corresponding to claim 21 of U.S. Patent No. 5,114,477 is suggested to applicant under 35 U.S.C. § 135(a) for the purposes of an interference:

186. An ink composition containing a fullerene or a mixture of fullerenes.

The suggested claim must be copied exactly, although other claims may be proposed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.605(a).

APPLICANT MUST COPY THE PATENT CLAIM WITHIN ONE MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS LETTER. THE EXTENSION OF TIME PROVISIONS OF 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) DO NOT APPLY TO THIS TIME PERIOD. FAILURE TO COPY THE CLAIM WILL BE TAKEN AS A CONCESSION THAT THE SUBJECT MATTER OF THIS CLAIM IS THE PRIOR INVENTION OF ANOTHER UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 102(g) AND THUS ALSO PRIOR ART UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 103. *In re Oguie*, 186 USPQ 227 (CCPA 1975).

The Examiner makes the following findings regarding support under 35 U.S.C. 112, first paragraph for the above claim to be copied. The original disclosure of the instant application 07/580246 as filed October 22, 1991 supports the insertion of the term "ink composition" by the disclosure of using fullerenes as pigments (specification, page 15, lines 30-32); the disclosure of various solvents or carriers that effectively solubilize and disperse fullerenes (specification, page 5, line 30 - page 6, line 14); and original product by process claim 18 which effectively recites a composition comprising a solvent and fullerenes.

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Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Steve Kalinchak whose telephone number is (703) 308-1093.

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